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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

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AMENDMENT

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Technology Center 2600

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

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1. (Amended) A telecommunication method, comprising:

receiving, by a telecommunications mobile device containing a radio receiver and/or a television receiver therein, digital data, transmitted over a broadcast channel as program-accompanying data in a media program, wherein the telecommunications mobile device includes an identification card by which a user of the telecommunications/mobile device is identified;

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